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Filed: 01/21/2004
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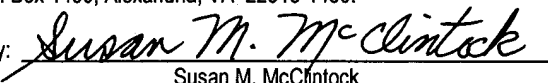
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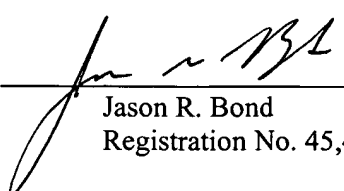
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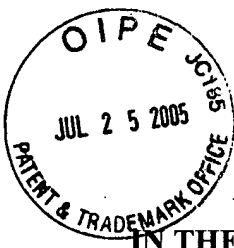
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
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This communication is responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 22, 2005.
Applicants respectfully request that the following amendments be entered.